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YUICHIRO YAMASHITA, ET AL.)	Examiner: Not Yet Known
Application No.: 09/935,842)	Group Art Unit: 2878
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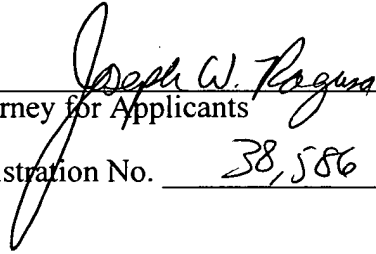
Applicants previously filed a Submission of Priority Documents dated December 11, 2001 for the above-identified application in which Applicants claimed priority for Japanese patent application nos. 2000-257546, said to be filed on August 28, 2001 and 2000-292530, said to be filed on September 26, 2001.

To clarify the record, Applicants wish to make plain that the correct filing date of Japanese patent application no. 2000-257546 is not "August 28, 2001" but rather, is instead --August 28, 2000--, and the correct filing date of Japanese patent application No. 2000-292530 is not "September 26, 2001" but rather, is instead --September 26, 2000--.

Entry hereof is earnestly solicited.

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